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SUBJECT: VISIT OF POLISH MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELFARE

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1. PLANS FOR MINISTER SLIWINSKI'S SEPTEMBER VISIT TO THE US WERE DISCUSSED AUGUST 10 BY SCIATT WITH JAN SIEKLUCKI, DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND HIS ASSISTANT, LIDIA RETKOWSKA. THEY REQUESTED THE EMBASSY TO TRANSMIT A LETTER DATED AUGUST 9 TO HEW SECRETARY CALIFANO FROM SLIWINSKI. TEXT FOLLOWS. POIUCHING ORIGINAL.

2. BEGIN QUOTE. DEAR MR. SECRETARY: THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR MOST KIND LETTER OF AUGUST 1, 1977, IN WHICH YOU ACCEPTED BY SUGGESTIONS CONCERNING MY VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES. I HAVE THE HONOUR TO PRESENT TO YOU THE COMPOSITION OF MY PARTY, WHO WILL ACCOMPANY ME ON THE VISIT:
PROFESSOR WITOLD RUDOWSKI, M.D., DIRECTOR, NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEMATOLOGY, WARSAW;
MR. JAN SIEKLUCKI, DIRECTOR, DIRECTOR INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELFARE;
DR. RAYMUND KRZYSKO, DIRECTOR, VOIVODESHIP DEPARTMENT
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OF LUNG DISEASES, POZNAN;
DR. KAROL GRZYBOWSKI, VOIVODESHIP SANITARY INSPECTOR, KATOWICE;
MRS. LIDIA RETOWSKA-MIKA, SENIOR ADVISER, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, ITERPRETER.
I AND MY COLLEAGUES LOOK FORWARD TO HAVING THE OPPORTUNITY OF MEETING YOU AND DISCUSSION SUBJECTS OF

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OUR MUTUAL INTEREST. HAVING HAD AN EXCELLENT
EXPERIENCE DURING MY PREVIOUS VISIT TO THE UNITED
STATE, I AM CONVINCED THAT THE PROGRAM PREPARED
BY YOUR STAFF WILL BE PRODUCTIVE AND ENJOYABLE.
DEAR MR. SECRETARY, I AM GLAD THAT YOU SHARE
MU OPINION ON THE MEETING OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE AND
I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU THAT THE POLISH DELEGATION
ON THE COMMITTEE WILL CONSIST OF MR. JAN SIEKLUCKI,
HEAD, AND PROFESSOR JANUSZ JELJASZEWICZ.
PROFESSOR JELJASZEWICZ WOULD ARRIVE IN WASINGTON
A DAY EARLIER TO HELP WITH THE PREPARATION FOR THE
MEETING AND WOULD LEAVE THE UNITED STATES ON
SEPTEMBER 19 OR 20.
I LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU SOON. SINCERELY,
M. SLIWINSKI. END QUOTE.

3. SIEKLUCKI NOTED THE PARTICULAR INTEREST OF SLIWINSKI
IN VISITING OUTSTANDING CARDIAC SURGERY CENTERS. IN
ADDITION, HE SAID THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS WERE OF INTEREST:
(A) MEDICAL EDUCATION, INCLUDING POSTGRADUATE LEVEL;
(B) OVERALL ORGAINIZATION OF HELATH PROTECTION; (C)
ORGANIZATION OF HOSPITAL FUNCTIONS; (D) PRESIDENT CARTER'S
POLICIES AND PROGRAMS RELATING TO
HEALTH MATTERS.

4. REGARDING ITINERARY, SIEKLUCKI EXPRESSED HOPE
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THAT THE SCHEDULE WOULD BE A LITTLE LESS TIGHT THAN DURING THE 1973
VISIT AND THAT THERE WOULD BE SOME OPPORTUNITY TO
SIGHTSEE ALONG THE WAY. HE MENTIONED A POSSIBLE VISIT TO GRAND
CANYON. HE WAS INFORMED THAT GRAND CANYON AND ONE
OR TWO OTHER SUCH STOPS WERE BEING CONSIDERED. HE WAS
ALSO INFORMED THAT THERE IS NO PRESENT PLAN TO
REPEAT CALLS ON PERSONS THE MINISTER VISITED
IN 1973, UNLESS THE MINISTER SO WISHED.

5. SIEKLUCKI WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING DRAFT
ITINERARY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
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